



HENDERSON HISTORY: Movies of Henderson High School's opening day delights, from left: former principal Doug Lilly, former mayor Assid Corban and principal Owen Hoskin.

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Henderson High gets a piece of history

By CHARLOTTE COX

Former mayor Assid Corban is giving the school his own home movie of the school's opening day in February 1953.

A slice of west Auckland history filmed 50 years ago will play an important role at Henderson High School's jubilee this Queen's Birthday weekend.

Mr Corban, who was working at the family winery at

Henderson High School's ju-

biee this Queen's Birthday weekend.

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ing at the family winery at

Henderson High School

the time, filmed staff and pu-

pils arriving on their first

day at the school.

There was no official open-

ing, but he thought the his-

toric event deserved record-

ing.

Mr Corban is giving the

school the original film and

two videotape copies, set to

music and subtitled, to be

played at the celebrations.

the result is a wonderful, his-

toric piece of film. "There are

going to be heaps of old stu-

dents who will love to watch

it," Mr Hoskin says.

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